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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mid-Atlantic Observers

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SUBJECT: Cheat sheets for the Bottlenose Dolphin Take Reduction Plan and the Harbor Porpoise Take Reduction Plan.

Enclosed you will find two set of cheat sheets summarizing two Take Reduction Plans (TRP). One is regarding the Bottlenose Dolphin TRP and the other is regarding the Harbor Porpoise TRP. Please add these to your cheat sheets that are brought on each vessel trip. These cheat sheets should only be used for informational purposes and general guidelines. Because these restrictions only pertain to certain gear types in certain areas, do not assume that all vessels are abiding to these regulations. Please ensure that the most accurate data are recorded when observing trips.

